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C O N F I D E N T I A L SEOUL 5740

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, KS, FR

SUBJECT: FRENCH EVACUATION OF KOREAN NATIONALS FROM VIET NAM

1. MOFA SAYS THAT IT HAS BEEN INFORMED BY FRENCH EMBASSY THAT PRG HAS GRANTED FRENCH PERMISSION TO OPERATE AIRCRAFT BETWEEN SAIGON AND BANGKOK FOR PURPOSE OF EVACUATING NOT ONLY FRENCH BUT ALSO NATIONALS OF OTHER COUNTRIES INCLUDING ROK.

2. FRENCH HAVE ASKED ROKG FOR ASSURANCE THAT ROK WOULD PAY FOR COST OF EVACUATION ANY KOREAN NATIONALS AND THAT ROKG WILL ALSO IMMEDIATELY TRANSPORT THEM FROM THAILAND. KIM SAID FRENCH DID NOT INDICATE WHEN SUCH FLIGHTS MAY TAKE PLACE OR WHETHER PRG WOULD RELEASE TWO KOREAN DIPLOMATS NOT IN DETENTION. NONETHELESS, ROKG HOPES OF SOLVING THIS EMBARRASSING PROBLEM ARE CONSIDERABLY BUOYED BY WHAT THEY HAVE HEARD FROM FRENCH.  
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